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Re:

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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary

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Washington, D.C. 20554

CC Docket 94-102

E911 Handset Penetration Quarterly Report

Northeast Communications of Wisconsin d/b/a Cellcom

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of Northeast Communications of Wisconsin d/b/a Cellcom ("Cellcom"), there is submitted herewith a report of the status of the carrier's progress in achieving 95% system wide penetration of location-capable handsets.

Cellcom is a Tier III that provides wireless service in parts of rural Wisconsin and Michigan. This report is submitted in compliance with the terms of the *Order*, CC Docket No. 94-102, FCC 05-200, released December 9, 2005, conditionally granting Cellcom an extension through December 9, 2006, of the deadline for compliance with Section 20.18(g)(1)(v) of FCC rules, 47 C.F.R. § 20.18(g)(1)(v).

Should any questions arise with respect to this matter, please feel free to communicate directly with the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

**Todd Slamowitz** 

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### NORTHEAST COMMUNICATIONS OF WISCONSIN, INC D/B/A CELLCOM

#### **E911 REPORT**

### MAY 1, 2007

## 1. The number and status of Phase II requests from Public Safety Answering Points

- Number of counties in which Cellcom provides service = 26
  - o Number of counties that have not requested Phase II = 1
  - o Number of requests received = 25
    - Number of requests considered invalid = 0
    - Number of counties where Cellcom has implemented Phase II
       = 23
    - Number of counties with implementation date scheduled = 2

## 2. The dates on which Phase II service has been implemented or will be available to PSAPs served by Cellcom's wireless network

- Cellcom has already implemented Phase II service in the following eighteen counties: Brown, Calumet, Door, Fond du Lac, Forest, Kewaunee, Langlade, Lincoln, Manitowoc, Marathon, Oconto, Oneida, Outagamie, Portage, Shawano, Sheboygan, Waupaca, Waushara, and Winnebago (in the state of Wisconsin); and Delta, Dickinson, Houghton, and Marquette (in the state of Michigan).
- Cellcom is scheduled to provide Phase II service to the following counties Marinette (???) and Wood (October 31, 2007). NOTE: Marinette County Cellcom is currently ready to turn Phase II service on in Marinette County. The reason for the delay is that the PSAP is not ready to receive and utilize Phase II data. Marinette County has repeatedly delayed the implementation date and cannot provide a firm date for implementation. Once they set a date, we will adjust this answer accordingly.
- Counties that have not requested Phase II service from Cellcom: Menominee (Wisconsin). Please note that Menominee has indicated it has no intention of implementing Phase II E911 service at this time.
- Cellcom is prepared to implement Phase II service within six months of receipt of a valid request from **any** county that is served by Cellcom's network. Since the county determines that date, it is impossible for Cellcom to know the estimated date for which Phase II service will be available for a specific county where Cellcom has yet to receive a request.
- The counties included an estimated date as to when they would be ready for Phase II service in their E911 grant applications to the state of Wisconsin.

A table showing these estimated dates was attached to our initial report. The PSAPs are not updating this table, so Cellcom will not be including this table in each filing. If there is a need to see this table, we would refer you to the table that was included with our February 1, 2006 quarterly report.

# 3. The status of coordination efforts with PSAPs for alternative 95% handset penetration dates

• On November 13, 2006, Cellcom achieved 95% handset penetration. The PSAPs were notified of Cellcom's achievement.

### 4. Efforts to encourage customers to upgrade to location-capable handsets

• On November 13, 2006, Cellcom achieved 95% handset penetration. Cellcom continues to encourage customers who have not upgraded to location-capable handsets to do so.

### 5. The extent of subscribers located in areas with analog service

• Cellcom currently has no subscribers located in areas with analog service only. All cell sites in its network – except one – have digital capabilities. However, there are subscribers, especially those who use analog 3-watt bag phones, who receive a stronger, clearer analog signal despite the availability of a digital signal.

### 6. The percentage of customers with location-capable phones

• As of July 1, 2007, Cellcom is at 97.1% penetration.

## 7. Status in achieving compliance and whether Cellcom is on schedule to meet its revised 12/09/06 deadline

• On November 13, 2006, Cellcom achieved 95% handset penetration.